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RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE
EXAMINING GROUP 1652

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Mathur, et al.
Serial No.: 09/202,681
Filed: December 23, 1999
Title: THERMOSTABLE PHOSPHATASES

Art Unit: 1652
Examiner: R. Hutson

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TRANSMITTAL SHEET

Sir:

Transmitted herewith in further response to the Final Office Action mailed August 14, 2001 and the Advisory Action mailed January 16, 2002, for the above-identified application, please find:

1. Supplemental Response; including Exhibit A (10 pages);
2. Petition for Four (4) Months Extension of Time (2 pages); and
3. Return Receipt Postcard.

CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 CFR §1.8	
I hereby certify that the documents referred to as enclosed herein are being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail on this date, May 24, 2002 , in an envelope addressed to: BOX AF, Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.	
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<i>Cecilia Tobin</i> (Signature)	May 24, 2002 (Date)

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The Fee for this Response is calculated as follows:

For	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid For	Extra Claims	Large Entity Rate	Small Entity Rate	Calculations
Total Claims	12	20	0	x \$18	x \$09	\$.00
Independent Claims	4	4	0	x \$80	x \$40	\$.00
Multiple Claims				\$270	\$135	\$.00
Basic Filing Fee				\$710	\$355	\$.00
					TOTAL FEE	\$.00

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the fee of \$665.00 for purchase of Four (4) Months of additional time. Please note that pursuant to a telephone conversation with the Examiner, in response to our previous supplemental response filed via facsimile on December 20, 2001, a fee of \$55.00 for One (1) Month Extension of Time fee was charged to

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our Deposit Account No. 50-1355. Therefore, the total fee due now is \$655.00 (\$720.00 for Four (4) Months Extension of Time fee minus \$55.00 equals \$665.00). However, the Commissioner may charge for any other fees associated with the filing submitted herewith, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-1355. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: May 24, 2002



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